



# STATE OF NEVADA

Department of Conservation & Natural Resources

DIVISION OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

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## NOTICE OF PROPOSED ACTION

by the  
State of Nevada  
Division of Environmental Protection  
Bureau of Air Pollution Control

**October 4, 2007**

Pursuant to Nevada Revised Statutes (NRS) Chapter 445B, the Nevada Administrative Code (NAC) Chapter 445B, and the Clean Air Act, the Division of Environmental Protection is issuing the following notice.

The Administrator received an application for a revision to an existing Operating Permit to Construct (AP4911-1504) for a Class I facility from the following applicant:

Sierra Pacific Power Company, Tracy Generating Station  
6100 Neil Road  
Reno, NV 89520

The project is located in northern Nevada, approximately seventeen miles East of Reno, Nevada in Storey County. The Administrator has prepared tentative determinations regarding the revision to Operating Permit to Construct AP4911-1504 that, in brief, are the following:

- Removal of two fuel pre-heaters;
- Addition of one fuel pre-heater (insignificant source);
- Addition of one emergency switchyard generator;
- Increase in operating hours for the auxiliary boiler.

On the basis of the preliminary review and the requirements of the NRS, the NAC and the Clean Air Act the Administrator is hereby announcing his intent to issue the revision to a Class I air quality Operating Permit to Construct based on a review of the information, as proposed. A copy of the draft, revised Operating Permit to Construct is available for public inspection at:

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Persons wishing to comment upon the proposed determinations by the Administrator regarding this proposed action or to request a hearing pursuant to NRS 445B Air Pollution and NAC 445B Air Controls should submit their comments or request in writing either in person or by mail or fax within thirty (30) days to:

Rod A. Moore  
Nevada Division of Environmental Protection  
Bureau of Air Pollution Control  
901 South Stewart Street, Suite 4001  
Carson City, Nevada 89701-5249  
(775) 687-9338  
(775) 687-6396 FAX

The application, draft permit, any comments received, and other relevant information may be copied at the above address or copies may be obtained by requesting in writing at the above address. Written comments or objections, will be received at the Nevada Division of Environmental Protection, above address, until November 10, 2007, and will be retained and considered prior to final action on the Class I operating permit to construct. Upon a valid written request received prior to the end of the comment period, the Administrator will schedule a public hearing on the application and proposed action.

Please bring the foregoing notice to the attention of all persons whom you know may be interested in this matter.